

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES**  
**DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**  
**CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

**10/537632**INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.  
PCT/SE2003/001859INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE  
1 December 2003PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED  
3 December 2002

## TITLE OF INVENTION

AN APPARATUS FOR DETECTING ANIMALS

## APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

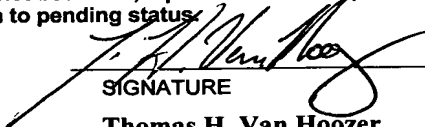
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☐ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (24) indicated below.
4. ☒ The US has been elected (Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))
  - a. ☒ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - b. ☐ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☐ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
  - a. ☐ is attached hereto.
  - b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
  - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
  - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).
11. ☐ A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).
12. ☒ A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).

## Items 13 to 23 below concern document(s) or information included:

13. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
14. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
15. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
16. ☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
17. ☐ A substitute specification.
18. ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
19. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
20. ☒ A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
21. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
22. ☒ Express Mail Label No. EV 597772410 US
23. ☐ Other items or information:

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The following fees are submitted:				<b>CALCULATIONS PTO USE</b>	
24. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basic national fee		<b>\$300</b>		\$	<b>\$300.00</b>
25. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examination fee If International preliminary examination report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4).		<b>\$100</b>		\$	<b>\$200.00</b>
All other situations.		<b>\$200</b>			
26. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Search fee Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority		<b>\$100</b>			
International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office		<b>\$400</b>		\$	<b>\$500.00</b>
All other situations.		<b>\$500</b>			
<b>TOTAL OF 24, 25 and 26 =</b>				\$	<b>\$1,000.00</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.					
Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole)		RATE	
17 - 100 =	0 /50 =	0		x	\$250.00
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				\$	<b>\$130.00</b>
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		
Total claims	20 - 20 =	0	x	\$50.00	\$ \$0.00
Independent claims	1 - 3 =	0	x	\$200.00	\$ \$0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> + \$360.00				\$	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				\$	<b>\$1,130.00</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>				\$	<b>\$1,130.00</b>
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).				\$	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>				\$	<b>\$1,130.00</b>
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40 per property +				\$	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>				\$	<b>\$1,130.00</b>
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<p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ <b>\$1,130.00</b> to cover the above fees is enclosed.</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p>c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <b>190522</b>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p>d. <input type="checkbox"/> Fees are to be charged to a credit card. <b>WARNING:</b> Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p> <p>NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.</p> <p>SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:</p> <p>Thomas H. Van Hoozer Hovey Williams LLP 2405 Grand Blvd., Suite 400 Kansas City, MO 64108</p> <p> SIGNATURE Thomas H. Van Hoozer NAME 32,761 REGISTRATION NUMBER</p>					

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: )  
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Mikael HILLFORTH ) Customer No. 23,589  
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TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is/are: Express Mail Transmittal (1 pg); Transmittal Letter Form PCTUS1 (2 pgs); International Publication No. WO 2004/049790 corresponding to International Application No. PCT/SE2003/001859 including Abstract, Specification, Claims and TWO (2) sheets of Drawings (18 pages total); International Search Report (3 pgs); Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal and Form 1449 (3 pgs); Copy of EP-A-0 213 660 as reference (18 pgs); Preliminary Amendment Marked Up to Show Changes with re-typed Abstract (10 pgs); Second Copy of published International Application; Check in the amount of \$1130.00 for filing fee; and Return Postcard. This/These document(s) is/are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on June 3, 2005.

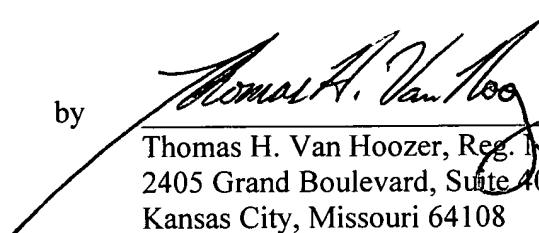
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